

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Matsumoto	Examiner:	Katrina R. Fujita
Appl. No.	:	10/816,978	Grp/A.U.:	2624
Filed	:	April 2, 2004	Confirmation No.:	1697
Title	:	MEDICAL IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND MEDICAL IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD		
Docket No.	:	060233.00005		

REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time and is being submitted with an Amendment Final Rejection for the above-identified application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$1,050.00 for the Three-Month Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 08-2789.

If any additional fees or any credits are necessary, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit such fees to Deposit Account No. 08-2789 in the name of Howard & Howard Attorneys, P.C.

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